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**Art Unit: 2195**

Appln. No.: 09/545,493

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For: PROCESS FOR IMPROVING THE  
PERFORMANCE OF A MULTIPROCESSOR  
SYSTEM COMPRISING A JOB QUEUE AND  
SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE FOR  
IMPLEMENTING THE PROCESS

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 7, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.